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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Office Action Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
	09/760,380	BELLEAU ET AL.
	Examiner	Art Unit
	Thomas McKenzie, Ph.D.	1624

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Period for Reply

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Status

- 1) Responsive to communication(s) filed on 23 December 2003.
- 2a) This action is FINAL. 2b) This action is non-final.
- 3) Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) Claim(s) 35-50,55-72,74 and 75 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.
- 6) Claim(s) _____ is/are rejected.
- 7) Claim(s) 35-50,55-72,74 and 75 is/are objected to.
- 8) Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are: a) accepted or b) objected to by the Examiner.
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) All b) Some * c) None of:
 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

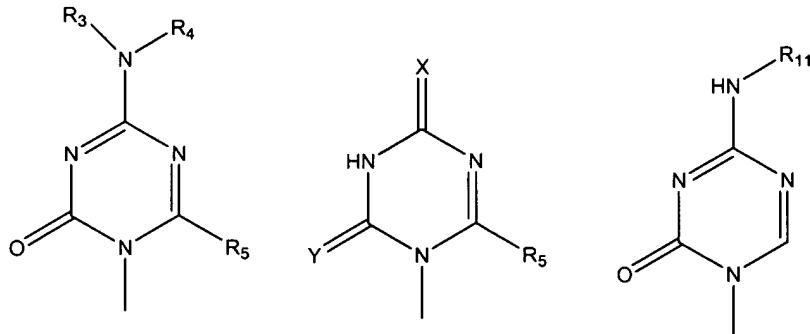
* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

Attachment(s)

- 1) Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
- 2) Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
- 3) Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date _____.

- 4) Interview Summary (PTO-413)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date. _____.
- 5) Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
- 6) Other: _____.

1,3,5-triazine compounds. Examples of the elected groups are drawn below for Applicants' convenience.



Conclusion

4. This application is in condition for allowance except for the formal matters discussed above. Prosecution on the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O. G. 213. A shortened statutory period for reply to this action is set to expire **TWO MONTHS** from the mailing date of this letter.

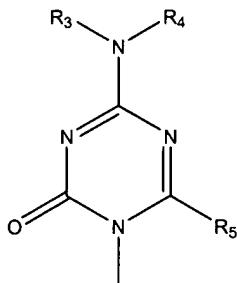
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DETAILED ACTION

1. This action is in response to amendments filed on 12/23/03. There are thirty-six claims pending and thirty-six under consideration. Claims 35-72, 74, and 75 are synthesis claims. This is the fourth action on the merits. The application concerns some 1,3,5-triazine compounds and synthesis thereof.

Claim Objections

2. Claims 74 and 75 are objected to because of the following informalities: there is a misplaced bond in the amino-triazine pictured in these two claims. Appropriate correction is required. A corrected formula is shown below for Applicants' convenience. The Examiner failed to notice this typo in the previous actions.

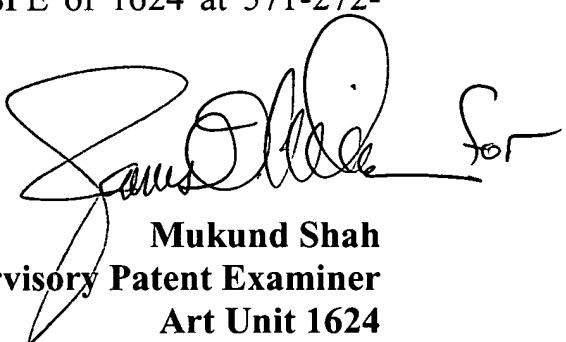


Election/Restrictions

3. Objection remains made to claims 35-50, 55-72, 74, and 75 as containing non-elected subject matter. The compounds and claimed synthetic methods that make them present a variable core. Claims 35, 36, 45, 46, 55, 56, 63, 64, 74, and 75 contain formulas drawn to the non-elected inventions to the extent they read upon R₂ groups other than the elected

(EBC) at (866) 217-9197 (toll-free). Please direct general inquiries to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-1235.

6. Please direct any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the Examiner to Thomas C McKenzie, Ph. D. whose telephone number is (703) 308-9806. After February 6, 2004, the Examiner may be reached at (571) 272-0670. The FAX number for amendments is (703) 872-9306. The PTO presently encourages all applicants to communicate by FAX. The Examiner is available from 8:30 to 5:30, Monday through Friday. If attempts to reach the Examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, you can reach the Examiner's supervisor, Mukund Shah at (703) 308-4716. If you are unable to reach Dr. Shah within a 24-hour period, please contact James O. Wilson, Acting-SPE of 1624 at 571-272-0661.



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